

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant:

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Title:

METHODS OF ADMINISTERING LIQUID DROPLET

AEROSOLS OF NANOPARTICULATE DRUGS

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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner in the Final Office Action dated February 7, 2007, finally rejecting Claims 28-40, 42-45, and 47-59.

- [X] Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a) for the total number of months checked below:
- [X] Notice of Appeal Fee

[X]To be paid as detailed below

[]Not required (Fee paid in prior appeal)

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[]	Extension:	\$0.00
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Respectfully submitted,

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